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# The Bulletin

Norwich, Thursday, June 13, 1918.

## VARIOUS MATTERS

Light vehicle lamps at 8.52 o'clock this evening.

"Freedom picnic" is the new form of diversion in Connecticut.

Barber Wanted, Wauregan House Barber shop, wages and commission good for \$25 per week—adv.

The coming conference of the Six Churches is to be held at the Congregational church in Lisbon on the 15th.

Today the Catholic church commemorates St. Anthony, by tradition so pure that the infant Jesus rested in his arms.

At Lyme, Theodore Tompkins was the first man to pick peas from his garden. He had them for dinner Tuesday, June 11th.

Mrs. P. H. Harriman has taken possession of the former Dr. S. Hayland house on Greene avenue, which she recently purchased.

Fewer local college students than customary will be home this year, as many of them have made arrangements to work during vacation.

The nineteenth annual assembly of the Connecticut Chautauqua Association is to be held at Norwich, July 15 to 23, its keynote, Patriotism.

Protect your garden from blight and bugs. Use "Dobbin's" 25c a bottle, at Lee & Osgood's adv.

At a meeting of the school board of the town of Groton, Tuesday, June 11, a vote was given to increase the salary of the town clerk from \$200 to \$250 per year.

Colonel Michael J. Wiles of Hartford has been in Niantic looking over the camp which is being put in readiness for the state guard officers' training camp.

The New Haven railroad employees received their increase in pay at New Haven, Monday and those along the line will receive their pay envelopes the end of the week.

A two-day session of the 89th annual meeting of the General Association of Congregational Ministers of Connecticut closed Wednesday in Center church, New Haven.

Three boxes of tin foil from the senior class of the Greenville Grammar school, Miss Katherine Coughlin, teacher, have been received at the room of the Woman's League.

Two pupils of the Bolton school had perfect attendance for the whole year. Clara Eaton of the South School and Lena O'Neil of the Birch Mountain School. Both will receive certificates.

Special meeting of the Rev. Daniel Mullen assembly, 4th degree, K. of C. tonight, at 8 o'clock. Important business—adv.

A cheerful letter from the front was received Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aldi of Chestnut street, from their son, Michael Aldi, one of the staff of the Norwich drafted men to go abroad.

Interesting letters from Private Benedict C. Pulgar have been received in Norwich. Private Pulgar is a member of the 325th Infantry, Company C, of the American Expeditionary forces now in France.

Norwich people learn that Cornelius Lebane, who lectured in this city is now a fugitive from justice. He has been living in Ansonia. He is charged with having uttered words of alleged sedition there.

Mrs. Mary B. Woodworth has sold a building lot on the New road at Quaker Hill to Captain Robert W. Goodfellow of Harrison's station. Captain Goodfellow will erect a house which he will occupy with his family.

Many members of the organization and relatives of the men memorialized attended the help meeting, high mass Tuesday at St. Patrick's church, sung by Rev. J. H. Broderick for the deceased members of St. Joseph's Social and Literary association.

At present there are 588 prisoners at the Connecticut State Prison at Wethersfield, about 100 less than usual, but the help question is causing the officials concern. For some time there has been a shortage of guards, due to the draft and enlistments.

The estate of Ira Dimock, late of West Hartford and New London, inventories in the Hartford probate court \$764,481.04, which \$514,655.15 is in stocks. The summer home, at Pequot avenue, New London, is valued at \$14,000.

The members of Waterford War Savings committee are busy securing the names and addresses of all citizens 14 years old or over, preparatory to the mailing of the governor's proclamation and the president's statement relative to the War Savings campaign.

Although a contribution for free wool was received Tuesday afternoon at the room of the Woman's League in the Thayer building, such was the demand for the wool that during Wednesday Mrs. E. Y. Messenger, who was in charge, had none to give to knitters applying.

In the case of Laura L. Walker against Earl Walker, an ex parte divorce was granted at Rockville Tuesday on the grounds of desertion. Mrs. Walker claims Mansfield as her home and was married twenty-eight years ago. She has one son 25 years old, George L. Walker.

Miss Matilda Nelson was the only woman to be made a citizen by the tolland county superior court at the naturalization session held in Rockville, Tuesday. Miss Nelson was born in Sweden and expressed a hope of being able to cast a ballot in this country before very long.

Shippers of perishables and manufacturers of containers should act immediately to prevent food losses this season by providing crates, barrels, hampers and baskets for perishable products in time for the shipping season, the United States department of agriculture advises.

These days Miss Elizabeth M. Culver, Norwich public health nurse, and her assistant, Miss Mackenzie, who has just returned from New Haven, are busy aiding with the baby weighing. As there were 300 births in town last year, it is figured that at least 3000 babies will be weighed and measured.

Children over eight receiving Bibles at Park Church Children's Day exercises, were Frisbie Mitchell, William F. Feltows, Milton C. Critchley, Richard Norman, Katherine Bunnell, Learned Ely, Janet Critchley, Ruth Burdick, Virginia Smith, Evelyn Huntington, Lucy Wilcox, Beatrice Leonard.

## PERSONALS

Daniel Rogers of the state hospital at Norwich has been at his home in Groton for a brief stay.

Mrs. William Keeney of New London has been called to Groton by the death of her uncle, Daniel W. Congdon.

Word has been received that Eugene Sabourin, son of P. F. Sabourin, of 191 Broad street, has arrived safely overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Miner of Preston were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Curtis Eggleston of North Stonington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greiner announce the engagement of their daughter, Frieda W., to Henry P. Mansfield of Preston.

Miss Maud Williams, who taught the past year in the school at Bozrahville, has returned to her home in Old Mystic for the summer vacation.

James Bolger, superintendent of the Keyes Product Co. plant in Palmerston, has left for a five weeks' vacation, which will be spent at Niagara Falls and in Canada.

## CHILD WELFARE WORK

### IN GRAPHIC FORM

Exhibit in Main Street Store Windows Discloses Interesting Facts.

The weighing and measuring tests in the child welfare campaign will be held on Saturday at the same place as last with the addition of Broadway, at the intersection of High street, schools. At Broadway the tests and registration will be held from 9 to 12 in the morning and Dr. Hugh B. Adams will examine the children. At the Greenville school, 2-6 p. m., Dr. A. C. Freeman will be in charge, assisted by Miss MacKenzie, Miss Corcoran, Miss Congdon and Mrs. Moriarty.

At High street school, 9-12 a. m., Dr. Louis T. Cassidy will examine the children and he will be assisted by Miss Albertine, Mrs. Rosenberg, Miss Adams and Mrs. Higgins. It is expected that fully as large a number of children will be registered this Saturday as there was last when the total was 345.

In connection with this campaign an interesting and instructive exhibit is arranged by Morgan Cronin in the window of the Plant-Cadden building on Main street which shows a number of posters concerning the subject of child care which have been secured by Dr. E. J. Brophy. Another interesting subject shown is the simple method for determining the age of one and one-half years to six. The overfeeding of children is one of the primary causes for ill health and causes many preventable deaths. Another poster shows that of proper feeding is that of prompt and proper care of the sick child, and the child who has met with an accident. Miss Dorothy Jones has prepared a number of simple medicines and drugs that should be in every home where there are children. The prompt application of a little vaseline, after a burn and various other simple remedies often save lives and spare doctor bills. Of course if a child is feverish, or in pain, or has diarrhea a physician should be called.

The map compiled from the vital statistics by Mrs. John Huntington and Miss Winifred Welles, relating with great clearness the history of the child life of Norwich from May 1, 1917 to the present, is interesting. The chart, red, green and yellow dots tell the story of birth, still birth, deaths preventable and deaths unavoidable of the children of our city for one year. This study of the vital statistics shows that many preventable deaths occur at the Backus hospital. The conclusion that the children are not well cared for at the Backus hospital is wholly unfounded. The cause of the great percentage of deaths is that children who have been burned, scalded, or neglected at home are rushed to the hospital and left to be taken care of by the treatment that given. A little earlier would have saved the child's life, or in many cases had the parent had at home the simple remedies contained in the booklet, attention, it would not have been necessary to have taken the child from its home.

## SHORT TRIAL IN SUIT OVER FLOUR

But Two Witnesses on Each Side in Yurman vs. Socha.

In the superior court here Wednesday morning trial was started in the case of Harry Yurman against Albert Socha, both of this city, which was brought on a claim over a contract for 100 barrels of flour, of which, it is claimed, only nine were delivered. The flour was bought at \$15.75 per barrel. The plaintiff seeks the full amount of the 100 barrels and the defendant claims that the flour was of poor quality.

The plaintiff and Gustav Seigal testified on that side of the case and the defendant and Josef Czubyra on the other. The arguments were made and Judge J. H. Keeler reserved decision. The attorneys in the case were J. E. Desmond, V. P. A. Quinn and E. W. Perkins.

## TWO ARRESTS IN HIGH STREET HOUSE

Mrs. Josephine Hall and Tony De Barros Taken by Police.

Mrs. Josephine Hall, colored, and Tony De Barros, colored, both of this city, were arrested on Wednesday night at 157 High street, the home of Mrs. Susie Bragg, alias Hicks, and were locked up at the police station charged with larceny. Since Susie Bragg went to jail last week to serve a sentence, Mrs. Hall has been house keeper at the High street house, which a police party found came to enter on Wednesday night and arrested the man and woman. Sergeant John H. Kane, Policemen Elmer Allen, Ralph Diveto and P. Murphy made the raid on the two prisoners were brought to police headquarters in the auto patrol wagon.

## First June Rainfall.

The first rainfall in June, measured up to Wednesday at noon, produced 1.21 inches.

Worry is a good friend of the undertaker.

## A READY-TO-SERVE FOOD.

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# WATER BOARD HAS ORGANIZED

## Members Choose Walter W. Lang For President—William H. McGuinniss Made Cashier and Clerk—M. V. Murphy Is Appointed Inspector—First Meeting of Board Since Election Day.

Walter W. Lang was elected president of the local water board at the first meeting since the recent city election of the newly constituted board of the city of Norwich. They met on Wednesday evening in the water office in the city hall. Five members of the board were present, constituting a full board. A. S. Comstock was chosen chairman of the meeting and Councilman John H. Carney acted as clerk.

The meeting was an organization meeting and no other business was transacted other than the election of the officers of the board. William H. McGuinniss of Thamesville was placed in nomination for the office of clerk and cashier and he was duly elected.

The office of inspector was next to be considered and the name of M. V. Murphy was presented and he was elected. It was voted to retain Miss Mary Maloney as assistant clerk and cashier.

The meeting adjourned after the election as no other business was to be transacted at this time.

The members of the board now are Commissioners Lang and Comstock, who hold over from last year, P. F. Bray and Hugh Blackledge who were elected this year, and Councilman John H. Carney, who was appointed to the board from the common council.

## HOME GARDENERS GOT TWO SPRAYING DEMONSTRATIONS

One on Potato Plants—Other in Hall and Rain Storm.

A. M. Coddling, special field agent in entomology at Storrs Agricultural college, gave two spraying demonstrations for home gardeners on Wednesday evening at 6:30 on the Trading Cove garden at the city hall.

Just about as the demonstration was over the weather man sent along an uncomfortable spraying demonstration in the form of a sudden hail and rain storm that drove the home gardeners to cover.

Mr. Coddling and Mr. Hargberg showed how the sprayer could be used in order best to get at the insect pests. Mr. Coddling gave the general advice to spray early and often as a preventive, mentioning that arsenate of lead would be effective against all insects that come from the ground, except the aphids, or louse, against which the nicotine treatment would have to be used. This would probably not be necessary till later in the season and might not be needed at all.

The agent from Storrs expressed admiration of the way the gardens on the plot looked, remarking on the clean way in which they were kept so just at that particular garden when he wanted a stick to stir up some of the poison solution for the spray.

## Garage Burglars Are Before Superior Court

Four on Trial Before Judge Greene in New London.

The men who are alleged to have robbed the Backus garage at New London, last week, have been taken before Judge Greene of New London, on Wednesday. The case will consume the rest of the week, if it is finished then.

There are three counts in the complaint against the accused and other burglars than that of the Backus garage will be alleged against them. The accused or some of them are supposed to have been concerned in the robbery of the Lathrop garage, the Miceli grocery store, at Bond and Division streets and a clothing store on Bank street, New London.

The testimony is voluminous and much of it is to be taken through an interpreter.

This is the case in which auto tires are alleged to have been stolen.

## PRELIMINARY WORK FOR CLASS I WEEK

Local Exemption Board is Going Over the Deferred Classification Names.

The local exemption board is preparing for Class I Week and is making a thorough examination of all questionnaires of registrants now listed in Classes 2, 3 and 4 to determine whether or not certain drafted men should be placed in Class I. As June 15 marks the beginning of Class I Week in this district, a large amount of labor, much is being done this week and the board is working overtime and well into evening. All doubtful cases are being referred to the board of appeal and it is expected that a large number of registrants will be notified to appear before the board this coming week to substantiate their original claims for deferred classification.

The local board received official notification that all the registrants who are listed in the second registration process for enlistment in different branches of the U. S. service.

## THREE WERE FINED

Over Midnight Trouble in House on Sunnyside Avenue.

In the police court on Wednesday morning Irving A. Kelly of Sunnyside avenue, charged with disorderly conduct, and two others, were fined \$10 each for harboring a female for immoral purposes, and their daughter, Mary L. Kelly, was fined \$25 and costs for being a lewd person. The whole amounted to \$84.30, which they paid.

The testimony against them was given by a sailor who met the daughter on Franklin square on Tuesday evening, took her to the entertainment at the Battleground, and then went to the Kelly home. Here he claimed he paid Mrs. Kelly \$1 for a room for the night and paid the daughter \$5.

He was not satisfied to stay after he had been there a short time, he said, and demanded his money back. This started trouble, and Kelly fired off a revolver at him.

Mrs. Kelly claimed she took the \$1 for the room because the sailor insisted on it, and Mr. Kelly claimed that he only fired the pistol in the air to get rid of the sailor when his wife wanted the man driven away because he made insulting remarks about the family.

The sailor claimed in court that he made the complaint against the family largely to protect other navy men.

## IN CIVILIAN'S CLOTHES

Chief Yeoman Taken Into Custody by Police in This City.

The local police arrested on Wednesday evening a sailor, Chief Yeoman James Thomas of Philadelphia, for camouflaging in civilian's clothes and for procuring liquor while dressed as a civilian. Thomas had just alighted from an automobile that had brought him from New London when Officers Allen and Divito nabbed him. Another officer who had Thomas' coat and cap was taken into custody as a witness. Thomas was held for a hearing before U. S. Commissioner Mark Vessel now in New London harbor.

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Mrs. Albert J. Sparks, of 24 Farmington street, Norwich, has received the following interesting letter from her nephew, Russell Sparks, of Mystic.

On Active Service with the American Expeditionary Force.

May 10, 1918.

Dear Aunt Lucy:—Your most welcome letter reached me and I want to say that, in slang, "I have beat you to it." I sent Earle a short note, but quite some time ago and I have not heard from him. I will write him again. Aunt Annie Dean sent me his picture and it told his outfit, so I sent him a short note.

Aunt Lucy, you should know better than ask an American soldier if he would like some sweet and smokes! It would be fine of you to send some smokes, which means a lot to us over here.

This is my second hitch on the front and I know what it is. The papers give a fairly good idea of our life so you can guess what we call "home." Dugouts take the place of the two and three-story houses and wooden bunks take the place of the feathered and springs. Gas is in unlimited quantities. Great stuff! Two hours and a half is the longest trip my gas mask so far.

Well, I hope to hear from you again soon, and perhaps receive a few clippings. Write often. I will see if I can get in touch with Earle.

Love,

RUSSELL SPARKS.

## GOING TO MONTPELLIER.

Gordon A. Harvey Takes Position in School's Manual Training Department.

Gordon A. Harvey, for the past four or five years supervisor of manual training in the public schools of Norwich, has resigned from that position to go to a better one in Montpellier, Vt. Mr. Harvey who has given entire satisfaction in his position here will have charge of the manual training and mechanical departments of the schools to which he goes.

## Operation For Appendicitis.

Miss Bertha Slater who has lived at Preston City with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Bicknell, and is well known and highly esteemed in Preston City, is in the Backus hospital, where she was operated on for appendicitis. The operation, which was successful, was performed by Dr. Tingley of Norwich and Dr. Simmons of Willimantic. Besides Miss Slater's parents who live in Willimantic, her many friends in Preston City hope for her speedy recovery.

## SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

What Eastern Connecticut Boys Are Doing In Various Branches of the Service.

On Arrival at French Port.

Letters from Capt. John S. Blackmar, surgeon with the 372nd Infantry, A. E. F., in France, have been received here by his wife and mother. The first written upon arrival at a French port was as follows:

April 20.

My dearest Ones:—We are in camp again "somewhere in France." When I wrote you last, I was sailing along a shore lined with little villages, between which could be seen large stone buildings like castles or monasteries. There were many beautiful summer homes with gardens and garages. These were closed, of course, but a few women or old men would come to the edge of the cliff or lane, and wave to us. When we came to the decks of stone, we were much amused by the children running down and begging for coins. Such a clatter of wooden shoes, and such a scramble when we threw coins to them.

We stayed on board a night at the dock, and landed the next morning. A quaint town with stone houses and a beautiful sea wall with an ocean boulevard on the bank. Reminded me of the Drive on a small scale, just as the bay for miles back made me think of the Palisades. We four, the colonel, adjutant, Dixon and myself, walked along in the quiet Sunday morning, and the two former were soon picked up by an auto and taken on. Later, we were fortunate enough

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